





RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP 3629 PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q65793

Akihiko OKADA

Appln. No. 09/928,451

Group Art Unit: 3629

Confirmation No. 8140

Examiner: THAI, Cang G.

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For:

COMPUTER PERIPHERAL SALES PROMOTING SYSTEM AND METHOD

THEREOF

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated Jul 15, 2005, please consider the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1-12 and 14 are all the claims pending in the application. Applicants note that the Examiner has included new grounds of rejection for claims 1 and 2, as well as in the Response to Arguments. Therefore, this Office Action should not have been made final. The Examiner is kindly requested to withdraw the finality of the subject Office Action.